



# New Art Gallery Dedicated To Orville Hanch

Northwestern State University's new 2,500-square-foot, two-story art exhibition area has been named in honor of former NSU professor and art department chairman Orville J. Hanchey.

Officially designated as the Orville J. Hanchey Gallery, the showplace for the art department at Northwestern serves as the main entrance to the A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative and Performing Arts.

The modern art gallery features special lights for spotlighting art works, horizontal and vertical glass display cases, movable walls, a projection screen in the ceiling and a reception area.

The lower level of the gallery, designed to accommodate some 100 people, is being used for exhibiting three-dimensional art work. Wall-hanging exhibit space is provided on the upper level.

Dr. Bill Bryant, head of the art department at Northwestern, said, "Naming the gallery after Mr. Hanchey is a tribute to his 49 years of services as a professional educator in Louisiana, 33 of which were at Northwestern, and 23 of which were as head of the Department of Art."

Hanchey, who was chairman of

the NSU art department from 1953 until his retirement in 1976, has been a professional artist widely

recognized for his oils, watercolors and collages. He was recently named professor emeritus at NSU.

His work has been exhibited in many galleries in Louisiana and in New York and Chicago. Watercolors by Hanchey have been published in leading art magazines and included in art shows.

A native of DeRidder, La., he joined the Northwestern faculty in January of 1936 as an instructor in art and left in June of 1937 to pursue his master's degree at Louisiana State University.

He returned to Northwestern in January of 1939 and stayed for nine years before serving from 1950 to 1953 as an assistant professor of art at the University of Southwestern Louisiana, Lafayette.

Hanchey received his bachelor's degree from Northwestern in 1934 and his master's degree from LSU in fine arts in 1937.

In addition to his acclaim as an artist, Hanchey is also well known as an avid gardener, amateur pianist, and an impressive talents, a pianist, a favorite composer is Chopin, and an outstanding cake decorator. He uses many of the same techniques involved in ceramics.



Orville J. Hanchey of Natchitoches examines one of the 96 paintings that were on display Sunday, April 17, for the opening of his month-long one-man show at Northwestern State University's A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative Performing Arts. The opening of the show was in conjunction with the formal dedication of the new Orville J. Hanchey Gallery in the center at NSU. A reception honoring the 70-year-old former NSU professor and art department head was attended by over 250 people.

## NSU Theatre Honors West

The experimental theatre in Northwestern State University's new A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative and Performing Arts has been named in memory of the late Dr. Lillian Edna West, a nationally-known theatre director who served for 19 years on the NSU faculty.

Dr. West, who was posthumously inducted in 1979 as a member of the Louisiana Performing Arts Hall of Fame, joined the Northwestern faculty in 1952 as director of theatre and radio and as a professor of speech.

She was the founder and head of the Department of Speech and Journalism at NSU from 1967 until her retirement in 1971. Dr. West, who was named Woman of the Year in 1974 by the Natchitoches Parish Chamber of Commerce, died in March of 1976.

While at Northwestern, Dr. West directed more than 100 major

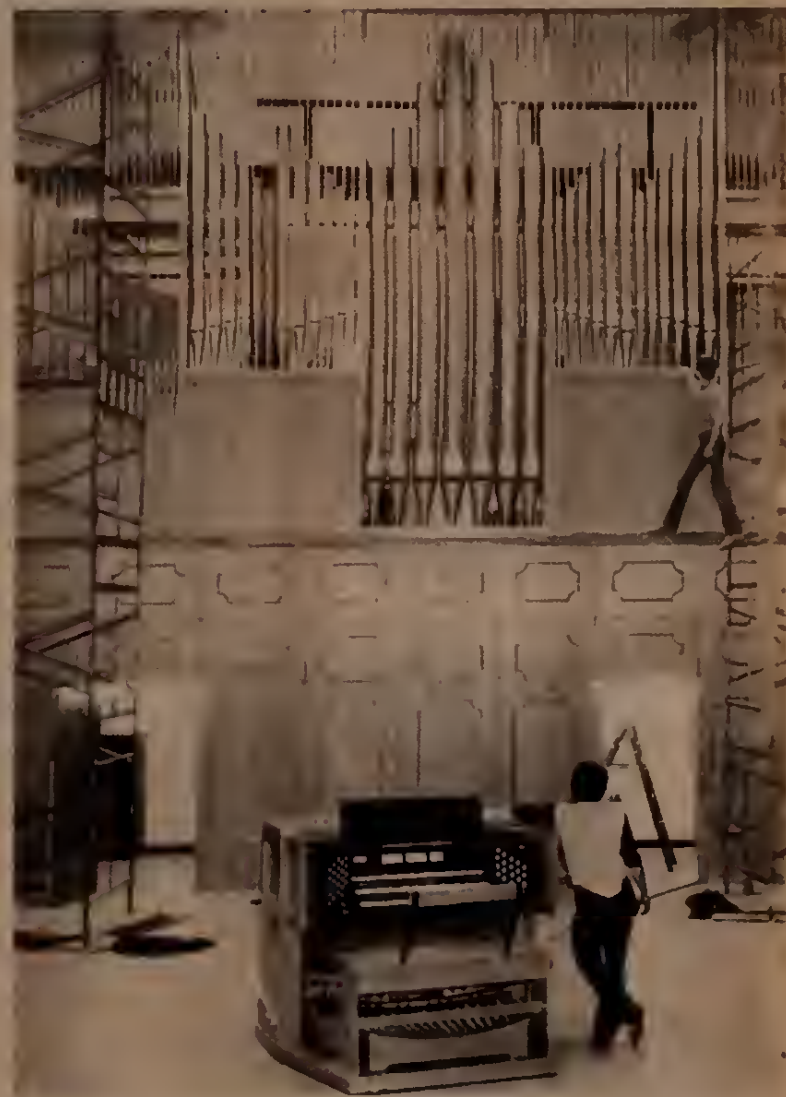
productions. At the height of her tenure, she was mounting four major productions and from six to 10 one-act plays each season.

Officially designated as Theatre West, the 2,500-square-foot drama facility seating 150 was once Northwestern's Little Theatre, but it has been extensively renovated to become adaptable to theatre-in-the-round and thrust stage configurations.

Dr. E. Robert Black, chairman of the Department of Theatre and Speech at Northwestern, said, "It is appropriate that a name be given to the theatre which will suggest not only its newly acquired importance as a performance area but will also recognize the traditions and past successes which commemorate its history."

The request to have the facility designated as Theatre West was made, he said, "because Dr. West was our founder, the first department head and because she established traditions of dramatic excellence in the speech and theatre arts which we have striven to honor and maintain ever since, and because she would have been delighted in the notion that theatre is on the 'West' side of the building."

Theatre West--which features a large lobby and the latest and most advanced equipment in stage lighting, rigging and sound--is being used by the Theatre-Speech Department for experimental plays and for productions which require less setting and music but demand a more intimate relationship between actors and audiences.



Technicians from the Reuter Organ Company of Lawrence, Kan., are installing a new 40-rank pipe organ which the firm custom built for the Concert Recital Hall in Northwestern's A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative and Performing Arts. The pipe organ, which has a total of 3,611 pipes ranging in length from 18 feet to 3/16 inch, is one of the largest musical instruments in Louisiana. A dedication of the new pipe organ was presented April 13 by Fred Swann, music director of the Crystal Cathedral in Garden Grove, Calif.



DR. EDNA WEST



# A Message from The President

By Dr. Joseph Orze

It is hard for me to realize that soon I will have completed my first full year as President of Northwestern State University of Louisiana. Yet, in a way, it seems like I have been here much longer, because of the acceptance and cooperation that I and my family have received from the University community, Natchitoches, the State agencies and you, our alumni.



ORZE

Looking back, I see a lot of good things that have happened at the University interspersed with

some events that set us back a bit, but that never kept us from moving forward. There has been a growing enthusiasm and feeling of pride and optimism throughout the University. A major reorganization of the University is underway, the results of which should make Northwestern stronger and more viable as we move into the future. We believe that we have strengthened the administrative and academic structure of the University. This would not have been possible without enthusiastic support of our Board of Trustees and the strong cooperation of the University community in the process.

The opening of the new A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative and Performing Arts has brought new and exciting dimensions of creative and cultural activities to the Natchitoches campus. One of the highlights of the year was the opening of the Orville Hanchey Art Gallery with a magnificent exhibition of the former NSU Art Department Head's works spanning several decades. Also, the initial concert featuring our new \$180,000 organ was a musical event of rare beauty.

For the first time, the University has recognized its former distinguished faculty and administrators with emeritus status, an honor that was warmly received by over twenty former NSU employees.

We had a good year athletically and had hoped to crown it with membership in the Southland Conference, but our valiant effort fell just short. We have already applied for reconsideration at the conference's next meeting with increased enthusiasm and dedication to gain conference membership.

There are, or will be, some important new people on campus next year and some major changes in positions for some current NSU employees. We will have two new deans. Dr. Barry Smiley will leave Louisiana College to become our Dean of the College of Business and Applied Sciences.

Dr. Frederick Geis will move to Natchitoches this summer from the State of Washington to assume the Deanship of the College of

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Brig. Gen. Curtis F. Hoglan (right) of Fort Bragg, N.C. awaits more than 75 guests who attended a reception in his honor prior to the general's induction as the first member of the Northwestern ROTC Alumni Association Hall of Fame. Hoglan, a 1955 graduate at NSU, is currently the commanding general of the U.S. Army's First ROTC Region. At left are Northwestern ROTC director Lt. Col William Fisher and his wife.

## About The Cover

# ROTC Alumni Chapter Establishes Hall of Fame

Brig. Gen. Curtis F. Hoglan of Fort Bragg, N.C., was at Northwestern State University April 8 to be inducted as the first member of the NSU Reserve Officers Training Corps Alumni Association Hall of Fame.

Currently the commanding general of the U.S. Army's First ROTC Region, Hoglan is a 1955 graduate of Northwestern, where he was commissioned a second lieutenant in artillery through the university's Senior ROTC program.

Hoglan's induction into the Northwestern ROTC Alumni Association Hall of Fame highlighted the 31st annual Military Ball in the Student Union Ballroom. Sponsored by the ROTC Corps of Cadets, the social event is presented each spring to honor senior cadets. This year, 20 graduating members of the ROTC program were recognized.

Other activities for Hoglan included a meeting with NSU president Dr. Joseph J. Orze, a briefing with the Northwestern ROTC detachment, a tour of the NSU campus, a noon luncheon with the Natchitoches Parish Chamber of Commerce at the Holiday Inn and the ROTC Alumni Association's reception which was given in his honor in the Cane River Room of the Student Union.

A native of Austin, Tex., Hogan has previously served as commanding general of V Corps Artillery in Frankfurt, Germany; commander of the 72nd Field Artillery Group in Wertheim, Germany; commander of the 2nd Battalion of the 10th Field Artillery Group at Fort Benning, Ga., and as plans officer with Pacific Command Headquarters and battle staff commander at the CINCPAC Airborne Command Post in Hawaii.

Hoglan, who has a master's degree in public administration from Shippensburg State College in Pennsylvania, has received numerous decorations and awards including two Bronze Stars, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, two Meritorious Service Medals, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal and the Purple Heart.

Senior ROTC cadets honored at the Military Ball were, Lawson Adams, Beverly Armstrong and Partrick McCauley of Leesville; J.D. Banks, Bossier City; Evelyn Bell and Andre Davis, Alexandria; Eva Benjamin, James R. Holden, Karl Kruse, Barrett McClinton, Rand S. Metoyer, Don R. Moses, J. Shifflett and Pete Wells, Natchitoches; Jeff Fonda, DeRidder; Charles Green, Shreveport; Mark Guillot, Raceland; Robert King, Pineville; Justina Reed, Clouterville, and Tanialus A. Smith, Cotton Valley.

# Greetings From NSU Alumni President

By Raymond Arthur

All local Alumni chapters are progressing well. We now have chapters in Northwest Louisiana, Webster Parish, Northeast Louisiana, Natchitoches, Central Louisiana, Vernon Parish, Southwest Louisiana, Acadiana and the ROTC. Our staff at the Alumni office has cooperated fully with officers of the local chapters, and has assisted wherever possible. Committees are now forming chapters in Baton Rouge and Winn Parishes.



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Some of the local chapters along with NSU faculty members have hosted very successful meetings with high school groups in their area. We have exhibited the educational opportunities at Northwestern, and from the many comments received, the high school students and teachers have been very favorably impressed with these meetings. We hope to continue and expand that program.

We have also received a good volume of suggestions and recommendations from our Alumni members. Please continue with these suggestions, and likewise continue to help us locate mailing addresses for our Alumni. If you know of someone who is not receiving the Alumni Columns, information may be called in to NSU at phone number 318-357-4414, or mailed to NSU, Office of External Affairs, Natchitoches, Louisiana, 71497.

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*In Memory of Jewell Jones*

# Former Dean's \$10,000 Gift Establishes Trust

Former Northwestern dean of education Dr. John A. Jones of Natchitoches has established a trust with a \$10,000 gift to the NSU Foundation to be used for scholarships to students majoring in education.

The scholarships will be awarded in memory of the former dean's wife, Jewell Bailey Jones, who died in October of 1982. Mrs. Jones was a supervising teacher for many years in the elementary laboratory school at Northwestern.

In establishing the trust, Dr. Jones expressed his intention to further endow the fund through additional bequests that will become effective at his death.

Natchitoches attorney Daniel T. Murchison, who will serve as co-trustee for the endowment along with the NSU Foundation Board of Directors, said the trust will be renamed upon Dr. Jones' death the John A. Jones and Jewell Bailey Jones Scholarship Fund.

Northwestern president Dr. Joseph Orze, in accepting the \$10,000 check that establishes the trust fund, said, "The university is

grateful to Dr. Jones for this generous endowment and for the opportunity to perpetuate the memory of two outstanding educators by providing scholarships in their name."

Orze said Jones' endowment "is especially significant because it will probably represent the largest single contribution ever made to the NSU Foundation and to the university's scholarship programs."



Former Northwestern State University education dean Dr. John A. Jones (second from left) of Natchitoches presents NSU Foundation president Wayne McCullen a check for \$10,000 to establish the Jewell Bailey Jones Scholarship Fund in memory of his late wife. At left is Northwestern president Dr. Joseph J. Orze, and at right is Natchitoches attorney Daniel T. Murchison, co-trustee of the fund. The new scholarships will be awarded to students majoring in education.

The present fund will generate some \$1,000 a year, and the first Jewell Bailey Jones Scholarship was awarded this spring to Karen Kinberger of Menard High School in Alexandria.

Deserving students who show a need for financial assistance may apply for the scholarship by submitting letters of recommendation from principals, counselors or teachers. Applications may be obtained from the NSU foundation at 318-357-4414.

Northwestern vice-president of academic affairs Dr. T.P. Southerland said Mrs. Jones "was an effective, innovative and enthusiastic educator who made enormous contributions to Northwestern education students who had the opportunity to observe her professionalism in the laboratory school."

Dr. Jones joined the Northwestern faculty in 1943 as principal of the Warren Easton Elementary School. He served in that capacity until 1949 when he was appointed director of teacher training. In 1954, Jones became dean of the College of Education, the position he held until his retirement in 1965.

The former Northwestern dean earned the bachelor's degree from Louisiana Tech University and master's and doctorate degrees from Louisiana State University.

## Hernandez-Hartley Win Bass Tourney

Jerry Hernandez and Gary Hartley won the Northwestern State University Alumni Association's first annual spring bass tournament recently on Sibley Lake in Natchitoches.

The Hernandez-Hartley team caught 12 fish for a total weight of 24 pounds, 5 ounces. Hernandez also won the tournament's "big bass" award with a 4-pound, 10-ounce catch. First place in the event was worth \$210 to the two local fishermen.

Second-place honors in the tournament went to David Antee and Danny Antee, who caught 10 bass weighing 14 pounds, 4 ounces. Ed Horton and Cecil Knotts finished third with eight fish weighing 11 pounds, 8 ounces. The teams' winnings were \$105 for second place and \$52.50 for third place.

There were 21 two-man teams entered in the tournament, which was sponsored by the NSU Alumni Association and Shreveport Budweiser.

Teams and the total weight of their catches were as follows:

Jerry Hernandez-Gary Hartley, 12 bass for 24 pounds, 5 ounces; David Antee-Danny Antee, 10 for 14 pounds, 4 ounces; Ed Horton-Cecil Knotts, 8 for 11 pounds, 8 ounces; Paul Keyser-Mickey Hennigan, 6 for 10 pounds, 10 ounces; Archie Dore-Andy Dore, 4 for 7 pounds, 8 ounces; Wayne Norworthy-Jerry Hines, 5 for 7 pounds, 8 ounces; Hugh Smith-Chill Smith, 3 for 6 pounds, 7 ounces; Marvin Gahagan-Kevin Morgan, 4 for 5 pounds, 7 ounces.

## NW La. Chapter

The Northwest Louisiana Alumni Chapter sponsored a "Demon Delight Social" at the Le Boss'ier Hotel in Bossier City before the basketball game between NSU and Centenary College on Feb. 22.

## Project Funded by Students

# Westminster Chimes Sound At NSU

Melodic sounds similar to those produced by the Westminster Chimes can be heard coming from on top of the A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative and Performing Arts at Northwestern State University.

Through the efforts of NSU's Student Government Association, the Maas-Rowe Chronobell with cartridge Carillon has been purchased and was installed in time for the university's spring com-

mencement exercises on May 14.

The chimes toll every hour to mark the time, and at 6 p.m. daily a 15-minute taped musical program can be heard throughout the Northwestern campus. The "concert" will include the university's alma mater, fight song and music appropriate to the season or special event on campus.

The Chronobell system at Northwestern is like the ones that

have been installed at the Metropolitan Opera of New York, the Los Angeles Music Center, the U.S. Naval Academy, U.S. Coast Guard Academy and at numerous colleges and universities.

The largest part of the project is being paid for by students at Northwestern. Individuals and organizations may also contribute to the Chimes Fund, NSU Foundation, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. 71497.

## NSU Rodeo Team Now Has Arena

A regulation arena for Northwestern's intercollegiate rodeo team has been built on land the NSU Foundation is leasing from the university.

NSU alumni and supporters borrowed money to purchase the rodeo arena, and upon retirement of the debt the arena will become the property of the NSU Foundation.

The arena is being used by the intercollegiate rodeo team for practice purposes but in the near future contests sanctioned by the Southern Region of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association will be produced at the facility.

Also, Little Bitches, open and all-NSU student rodeos along with jackpot ropings and barrel racing events will be presented on campus to raise funds for the continued support of the intercollegiate rodeo program at Northwestern.

This year, NSU had one of the top rodeo teams in the Texas-Louisiana region.



Vicki Gahagan (left) of the Natchitoches Service League and Jack McCain, Jr. (right) of the Natchitoches Kiwanis Club present contributions on behalf of their organizations toward the Chronobell chimes system which was installed at Northwestern State University. Sounding similar to the Westminster chimes, the Chronobell system can be heard daily at 6 p.m. as it offers a 15-minute taped musical program. Accepting the contributions for NSU's student body are Deana Grau and Joe Stamey of the Student Government Association.



# Kiwanis Club Honors Joseph W. Johnson

The Kiwanis Club of Natchitoches has established two \$700 freshman scholarships at Northwestern State University in honor of former NSU business professor Joseph W. Johnson of Lafayette.

Funded through the NSU Foundation, the J.W. Johnson-Kiwanis Club Scholarship will be awarded each year to an outstanding graduating senior at Natchitoches Central High School

and at St. Mary's High School in Natchitoches.

The scholarship recipients will be selected in the spring by representatives of the College of Business and the NSU Foundation.

Johnson, who taught at Northwestern in the College of Business from 1956 until his retirement in 1978, was voted "Professor of the Year" by the student body in 1968. NSU students also selected him for membership in Blue Key National Honor Fraternity and the Circle K Club.

During his tenure at NSU, Johnson served as faculty advisor for the Baptist Student Union and Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity. In 1965, he received Sigma Tau Gamma's Weinbrenner Service Award as the outstanding advisor in the nation.



JOSEPH JOHNSON

## Quarter Horse Donated To NSU

Miss J.B. Peaches, a four-year-old quarter horse mare recently appraised to be valued at \$30,000, has been donated to the Northwestern State University Foundation by Dr. Charles E. Cook of Natchitoches.

The mare, which has been in training for the past year at Allan Newbauer Quarter Horses, Inc., in McKinney, Tex., will be utilized by the NSU Agriculture Department's equine science program.

Kathy Baer, director of equine science at NSU, said the outstanding quarter horse will be exhibited at shows in East Texas and throughout

Louisiana. "We will eventually breed her to an outstanding quarter horse or thoroughbred stallion," she said.

Miss J.B. Peaches' sire is Fair Dollar and her dam is Josie Bo Bar. Both the sire and the dam are grandchildren of Three Bars, a thoroughbred that was one of the founding sires for the modern quarter horse type.

Currently, Miss J.B. Peaches is only five points away from earning superior western pleasure horse status in the American Quarter Horse Association.



The Shreveport office of Peak, Marwick, Mitchell and Company, a worldwide certified public accountants firm, has contributed \$1,800 to the accounting development fund established through the Northwestern State University Foundation. NSU president Dr. Joseph J. Orze (left) accepts the contribution from R. Stewart Ewing Jr. (center) and Bruce Hildebrand, NSU accounting graduates and employees of the Shreveport office. Ten people, including five Northwestern graduates and five partners in the CPA firm, contributed \$900, and the company matched that amount for a total donation of \$1,800. Other NSU accounting alumni who made personal contributions were John McKellar, William D. McKellar and Scott Patrick.

## Friends of Watson Library Founded

The Henderson, N.C., native was very active in the Louisiana Business Education Association, serving as first vice-president in 1975. He also was president of the Shreveport chapter of the National Association of Accountants.

In addition to teaching at Northwestern for 22 years, Johnson was treasurer of the Kiwanis Club of Natchitoches Kiwanis Day Camp for many years and was active in the work of local Circle K and Key Club chapters affiliated with the Kiwanis Club.

Johnson earned the bachelor's degree at Northeast Louisiana University and the master's degree at Northwestern. He also did postgraduate study at the University of Arkansas, Arizona State University and at Louisiana State University.

The election of Salling as the Library Friends president was conducted during a recent meeting formally establishing the organization which will provide financial and material support for Watson Library at NSU.

Other officers for Friends of Watson Library are vice-president Rick Harrington, an attorney in Natchitoches; secretary W.B. Stallings, a retired U.S. Army colonel from Natchitoches; and treasurer Dr. Sara Burroughs, professor of English at NSU. The ex-officio member of the executive committee is Dr. William C. Buchanan, director of Watson Library.

According to Buchanan, the Library Friends group has been organized to provide financial and in-kind support for library programs, encourage individual gifts of books or money for the purchase of books, promote memorial gifts for the purchase of books, identify collections of old letters and records for donation to the library's archives, organize fund-raising activities and to promote the library as a valuable resource for students, faculty and community.

Annual dues and membership categories are \$25, regular; \$35 family; \$100, sustaining; and \$500 or more, patron. Sustaining and patron members receive library borrowing privileges.

For additional information about Friends of Watson Library, call Dr. William Buchanan at (318) 357-4403.

## Hughes Matches Minnich's Donation

A \$500 donation from Pat Minnich of Huntington Beach, Calif., to the NSU Foundation has been matched by Hughes Industries, the former Northwestern student's employer.

The \$1,000 total contribution will be used to enhance the NSU Foundation's scholarship fund.

Minnich is senior project engineer for the signal processing laboratory in the radar systems group at Hughes Aircraft Company.



KYLE SPRAGUE

## NSU Coed Wins Graduate Fellowship

Northwestern State University senior Kyle Sprague of Bossier City has been awarded an \$11,900-per-year graduate fellowship to enter the doctoral program in biochemistry at Rice University in Houston next fall.

The NSU coed, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sprague of Bossier City, received the bachelor of science degree in microbiology from Northwestern during NUS's spring commencement exercises May 14.

Last summer, Miss Sprague participated in a three-month undergraduate research program at the nationally-known University of Texas Health Sciences Center in Galveston, where she was engaged in full-time research in established and newly-emerging fields of biochemistry and cell biology.

## Med Tech Award Received By Weeks

Randy Weeks of Pineville, a senior general microbiology major at Northwestern State University, has been awarded the Joy Holm Memorial Scholarship for medical technology.

Dr. Jerry Allen, head of the Microbiology and Biochemistry Department and Weeks' major professor at NSU, said the \$500 scholarship is awarded annually to a pre-medical technology student who will be entering their final year of clinical training.

"The award is competitive among all entering trainees and is based on grades, character and promise as a medical technologist," said Allen.

Weeks will enroll in the Schumpert Medical Center's School of Medical Technology in Shreveport this summer after completing requirements for the bachelor of science degree in general microbiology.



RANDY WEEKS





The Northwestern Alumni Association has established an alumni organization in Central Louisiana to serve residents of Rapides, Avoyelles and Grant parishes. Officers are (from left) Dr. Mixon Bankston of Alexandria, president; Stella Craig of Pineville, correspondent; and Nancy Monroe of Alexandria, secretary-treasurer. Gregory O'Quinn of Alexandria is the chapter's vice-president.



JACK EVERSULL JR.

## College Of Business Recognizes Graduate

Jack W. Eversull Jr., vice-president of engineering and construction with Trans Louisiana Gas Company (TRANS LA) in Lafayette, was the NSU College of Business' distinguished alumni lecturer March 16 during the university's "Spring Fling" observance.

Eversull is as a member of the board of directors for the NSU Foundation.

Before being appointed to his present position in 1981, Eversull was TRANS LA's vice-president of the northern Louisiana area. He first joined the company in 1964.

In 1964, Eversull received a B.S. degree in business administration and accounting from NSU. Louisiana State University awarded him the M.B.A. degree in 1973.

The Northwestern graduate is a past president of the Sabine Parish Chamber of Commerce, the Natchitoches Lions Club, the Mansfield Jaycees and the Louisiana Jaycees.

In 1970, he was recognized by the United States Jaycees as the Outstanding State Jaycee President in the nation.

# Mixon Bankston Is Elected Central Louisiana President

Dr. Mixon Bankston, a children's dentist who has been practicing in Alexandria for the past 14 years, has been elected president of the Central Louisiana chapter of the Northwestern State University Alumni Association.

The pedodontist was graduated from NSU in 1957 with a bachelor's degree in biology. He played football and ran track for the Demons. He was the Gulf States Conference shot put champion for three years.

An avid golfer and licensed pilot, Bankston earned the doctor of dental science degree in 1967 at Loyola University in New Orleans. He completed a two-year residency at the University of Alabama in 1969.

Bankston, who is one of the owners of KLAX TV in Alexandria, is a past president of the 8th District Dental Society.

Other officers are vice-president Gregory B. O'Quinn of Alexandria,

president of Southern Financial Service, Inc.; secretary-treasurer Nancy L. Munroe of Alexandria, adjunct teacher of English for NSU at England Air Force Base, and correspondent Stella Craig of Pineville, inservice training director at Central Louisiana State Hospital.

The Central Louisiana chapter was established this spring to serve former NSU students residing in Rapides, Avoyelles and Grant parishes. The committee which planned the organization of the chapter was headed by Mrs. Monroe and Tommy Harrison of Alexandria, who teaches at Bolton High School and also is an adjunct teacher for Northwestern at England Air Force Base.

The Central Louisiana chapter is the ninth in a network of alumni organizations being developed in Louisiana and neighboring states by the NSU Alumni Association this year.

Soon to be established is the Greater Baton Rouge chapter for residents of East Baton Rouge, West Baton Rouge, Ascension, Pointe Coupee and Iberville parishes.

For information about the Central Louisiana chapter, call (318) 357-4414 or write the Office of Development and Alumni Affairs, Northwestern State University Natchitoches, La. 71497.

## Blue Key Alumni Organize at NSU

An alumni chapter of Blue Key National Honor Fraternity has been established at Northwestern State University, where the men's service organization has been in existence since 1959.

Leonard O. Nichols, retired dean of men and the NSU Blue Key advisor from 1959 to 1970, was elected president of the alumni chapter. Vice-president is Dr. Fred C. Bosarge, advisor to Blue Key for the past 13 years and dean of students since 1974.

Jimmy Berry, principal of the Northwestern Middle Laboratory School, was elected corresponding secretary, and selected recording secretary and treasurer was Leonard Blanton, an accountant with Western Electric in Shreveport.

Those eligible for membership in the NSU Blue Key Alumni Chapter are all alumni, faculty and staff members who were Blue Key members while they were undergraduate students at Northwestern.

"This new alumni chapter hopes to provide a link between Blue Key alumni and the university," explained Bosarge. "There also is interest to establish a scholarship and provide a place of fellowship for Blue Key alumni themselves."

NSU alumni and former students who were members of Blue Key during their undergraduate years at NSU should call (318) 357-5286 or write Blue Key Alumni Chapter, Dean of Students Office, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. 71497.

## Natchitoches Alumni Progressing

The Natchitoches Parish Alumni Chapter has made tremendous progress since it was organized eight months ago.

### At-Large Members

Former Northwestern students residing in areas not directly served by one of the established alumni chapters may become at-large members of the Natchitoches Parish Chapter of the NSU Alumni Association.

At-large members will receive the same benefits as people who belong to one of nine alumni chapters that have already been established.

For additional information about at-large memberships, call (318) 357-4414 or write the Office of Development and Alumni Affairs, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. 71497.

In September, officers of the chapter met with NSU Foundation members to discuss future plans for recruitment, and the organization sponsored a "Warm Up Party" for alumni and the families of NSU football players prior to the last game in November.

The parish chapter also sponsored student recruitment programs in January at St. Mary's High School and Natchitoches Central High School. Several NSU faculty and staff members joined student leaders and alumni in an effort to convert SMHS Tigers and NCHS Chiefs to NSU Demons. Displays covering the varied programs offered by NSU were exhibited at both schools.

Also in the spring, the chapter hosted the hospitality room for "Demon Connection" and the scholastic literary rally.



The Vernon Parish Chapter of the NSU Alumni Association was formally organized March 17 during a fish fry at the Leesville Club. Elected as offices were (from left) Dr. Larry Monk, president; Don Scoggins, vice-president; JoAnn Luttgahrm, secretary, and Bill Endris, treasurer. Dan Nance is the reporter. Nick Pollacia was temporary chairman of the organization.



# NSU Press Publishes Book of Historic Places

Northwestern State University Press has released Louisiana's Architectural and Archaeological Legacies," a 280-page book which is the first photographic and illustrative publication of Louisiana properties

on the National Register of Historic Places. The publication, considered one of the most unique books ever published in Louisiana, features 265 color photographs by professional photographer John Curtis Guillet of Natchitoches and 57 architectural

illustrations by practicing architect Robert N. Smith of Natchitoches. Presenting some of Louisiana's historic treasures through images and information, the book focuses on 311 buildings and sites in 50 of the state's 64 parishes that were selected from an inventory of Louisiana properties listed on the National Register of Historic Places through December of 1980.

Available only in hardback cover for \$35, "Louisiana's Architectural and Archaeological Legacies" may be ordered by writing the NSU Press, P.O. Box 5305, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. 71497. Checks should be made payable to the NSU Press.

For additional information, call (318) 357-4586.



Allen "Buddy" Bonnette, professor of health, physical education and recreation, visits with students at Natchitoches Central High School during this spring's "Chiefs to Demons" recruitment program sponsored by the Natchitoches Parish Alumni Chapter. A "Tigers to Demons" program was also conducted at St. Mary's High School.

## Kilpatrick Receives Award

Dr. Arnold R. Kilpatrick, president emeritus of Northwestern State University, has received NSU's fifth annual Clio Award for outstanding contributions to the study of history.

The award to Kilpatrick, who served from 1966 to 1978 as president of Northwestern, was presented March 17 to highlight the spring banquet for the NSU chapter of Phi Alpha Theta national history honorary society.

## Baton Rouge Chapter

An organizational meeting was held April 14 at the American Bank Building in Baton Rouge to plan the establishment of the Greater Baton Rouge Chapter of the Northwestern Alumni Association. The chapter will serve NSU alumni and other former students residing in East Baton Rouge, West Baton Rouge, Ascension, Pointe Coupee and Iberville parishes. Co-chairmen of the planning committee are Robert Crew, Robert Jones and Mrs. Marjorie Dial.

The former NSU president was the seventh person to receive the coveted honor. Past winners of the Clio Award are Mrs. Thelma Kyser and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matherne of Natchitoches, 1979; Mrs. Mildred McCuy of Cloutierville, 1980; Mrs. Lucille Carnahan of Cloutierville and Mrs. Sue Wilkinson of Montgomery, 1981, and Bill Dodd of Baton Rouge, 1982.

Kilpatrick, who was recently honored for outstanding achievements by the Jackson Parish Chamber of Commerce, was recognized by Phi Alpha Theta for several major contributions he made to the study of history during his 12-year tenure as President of Northwestern.

It was under Kilpatrick's leadership that Eugene P. Watson Memorial Library was built to house, among other things, the university's prestigious archives. Located in the library's Cammie G. Henry Research Center, the archives serves as a depository for advanced research material in history and related social sciences.

Also accomplished during Kilpatrick's administration was the establishment of the Southern Studies Institute, which was founded to encourage original research and publication of studies focusing on southern history and literature. The institute publishes "Southern Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal of the South."

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DR. ARNOLD KILPATRICK





Lesla D'Anne Hatley of Natchitoches won the title of Lady of the Bracelet at Northwestern last February. She will represent NSU at the Miss Louisiana Pageant June 16-18 at Monroe.

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Education and Behavioral Sciences, and Dr. George Stokes will be promoted to the new position of Vice President of University Affairs and be responsible for all of the support service areas of the University. Many more changes have been made or are in the process, and you will be reading about them in the Columns.

We have not dwell upon the Caldwell Hall fire or the floods or the devastating hailstorm or even the fiscal plight of the State. Rather, we look upon them as temporary setbacks and challenges as we continue to move forward for the growth and development of the University.

I am especially proud of the University alumni and your renewed commitment to Northwestern. There are now ten local chapters throughout the State and more in the process of development. Everywhere I have visited I have been greeted by enthusiastic alumni anxious to help and get involved with the University. I have been deeply moved by your sincerity and enthusiasm.

Next year will mark the Centennial of Northwestern. Many things are planned to celebrate it. I hope you will participate in all of them. One special thing that will occur is the first capital fund drive ever undertaken by Northwestern. We are working hard on it and are hopeful that it will help the University take a giant step in achieving the margin of excellence we are committed to.

Northwestern is on the move. You have been vital to what is swelling into a renaissance. Keep up the work and support. We need you and we appreciate you.

## Massia Is Honored

Lt. Warren L. Massia Sr., assistant chief of the Northwestern campus police force, has been selected as NSU's Officer of the Year. A member of the Northwestern campus police force since 1964, he was a finalist for the Louisiana University Police Association State Officer of the Year.

## 23 Retirees Named Emeritus

The honorary titles of professor, dean or vice-president emeritus have been bestowed upon 23 retired faculty members and administrators at Northwestern.

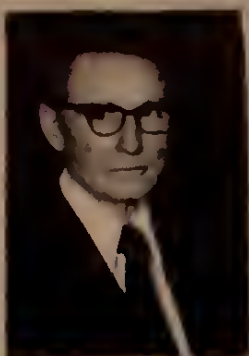
Named Vice-President Emeritus was Dr. Charles F. "Red" Thomas, vice-president for academic affairs, 1968-1978.

Designated Dean Emeritus were Dr. Sylvan Nelken, administration, 1958-1966; Dr. Leo T. Allbritten, education and graduate school, 1953-1975; Dr. Clarence E. Dugdale, arts and sciences, 1945-1963; Dr. John A. Jones, education, 1954-1965; Dr. David Townsend, applied arts and sciences and business, 1963-1982; Dr. Russell Whittington, mathematics, 1956-1980, and graduate school, 1979-80.



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Receiving the Professor Emeritus title were Bert B. Boyd, physics, 1945-1974; Dr. Sarah Clapp, English, 1931-61; Alfred L. Ducournau, chemistry, 1925-1966; Mrs. Ruby S. Dunkelmann, home economics, 1938-1964; Dr. Marie Dunn, home economics, 1938-64; Dr. Grady Erwin, biology, 1952-73; Orville J. Hanchey, art, 1953-1976; Paul C. Marx Jr., physical education, 1939-1971; Dr. Tandy W. McElwee, testing, 1956-1976; Dr. Walter J. Robinson, industrial education and technology, 1945-1971; Sam W. Shelton, mathematics, 1945-1970; Mrs. Irma S. Taylor, speech, 1948-1980; Dr. Paul E. Torgimson, music, 1945-1980; Hal E. Townsend, agriculture, 1946-1974; Dr. John D. Waskon, geology, 1964-1982; Dr. Ora V. Watson, sociology, 1954-1968.



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## Southerland Promoted

Dr. Thomas Paul Southerland, an administrator at Northwestern State University for the past 17 years, has been appointed to the position of executive vice-president of NSU.

Southerland will continue to serve as the university's vice-president of academic affairs, the position he has held since 1978.

## Gies Is New Dean

Dr. Frederick John Gies, a nationally-known educational researcher from Bellevue, Wash., has been appointed dean of the College of Education at Northwestern State University.

Gies was professor and dean of the School of Education at Seattle University in Washington for four years before taking sabbatical leave during the 1982-83 academic year.

## Galloway Retires

Dr. Richard H. Galloway, dean of the College of Basic Studies and Academic Services at Northwestern State University, has announced his retirement effective July 1 to enter private business in Natchitoches.

A Northwestern faculty member and administrator since 1961, Galloway served as vice-president of student affairs at NSU from 1972 until 1978, when he was appointed dean of the University College. He has been dean of the College of Basic Studies and Academic Services since 1980.

## Argus Needs Alumni

Alumni interested in creative writing are invited to contribute material to Argus, the multi-media magazine published by students at Northwestern.

Poems, short stories, black and white photographs, one-act plays and drawings should be sent to Mrs. Ann Black, Department of Languages, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. 71497.

## Caldwell Hall Bricks, Prints For Sale

The Northwestern State University Foundation now provides you with an opportunity to own a part of Caldwell Hall, the great symbol of NSU's heritage. The exquisite architecture of Caldwell Hall and the tragedy of its destruction are captured forever in a set of top quality prints. Each 11" x 14" print is an actual photograph which has been reproduced onto a premium coated, opaque stock through a process of offset

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# Burkett Receives Watson Award At Fourth Annual Benefit Concert

Northwestern selected Howard Preston Burkett, a senior vocal music performance major from Natchitoches, as the second recipient of the Watson Award for Excellence in Music.

The NSU student received the \$400 cash award at the third annual Watson Award Benefit Concert on May 6, in the Concert Recital Hall of the A.A. Fredericks Center for the Creative and Performing Arts.

Instituted in the spring of 1981 by the NSU Music Department, the Watson Award recognizes Burkett for his academic excellence, performance ability and outstanding contributions to departmental, university and civic affairs. It was established in honor of Arthur C. and Gene Watson of Natchitoches as loyal supporters of the musical life of Northwestern and the community.

## Deana Grau Elected President of SGA

Deana M. Grau, senior public relations major from Shreveport, has been elected president of the Student Government Association at Northwestern. She will represent the student body on the board of directors of the NSU Alumni Association.

The new SGA president has been as SGA senator and SGA representative to the Student Union Government Board and has also served as chairman of the university's high school relations committee.

Miss Grau is a member of Phi Mu sorority, the Fellowship of Christian Students and the Public Relations Student Society of America.

An honor student with a 3.77 academic average, Burkett has performed the operatic roles of El Dancaïro in "Carmen" and The Lover in "Amelia Goes to the Ball," and he has been a member of the chorus for the musicals "Oklahoma!" and "Carousel."

He has also appeared in the Shreveport Civic Opera productions of "Il Trovatore," "La Traviata" and "The Marriage of Figaro."

## NSU Awards 20 4-Year Scholarships

Twenty high school students who graduated this spring have been awarded \$5,000 academic scholarship to attend Northwestern.

Scholarships were awarded to Dale Manry, Lisa Lawson and Don Noblin, Natchitoches Central High School; Georgia Adams, Trinity Heights Christian Academy, Shreveport; Allen Louis Baker, Many High School; Steven Brown, Leesville High School; Jill Blake, John Ehret High School, Marrero; Shelly Renee Delaney, Buckeye High School; Jeffrey Eversull, Comeaux High School, Lafayette; Brian M. Folse, Hahnville High School; Coy Gammage Jr., St. Mary's High School, Natchitoches; Mary Amanda Hebert, Jennings High School; Melissa Hightower, St. Thomas More High School, Lafayette; Lucy C. LeBlanc, John Ehret High School, Marrero; Susan Maloney, Airline High School, Bossier City; Leah Kay Mills, Terrebonne High School, Houma; Robert Roller, Weston High School; Charles Sabin Jr., Lakeview High School, Florida; Kelly Sixkiller, Salmen High School, Slidell, and James Trammel, Montgomery High School.



Dean Napoli (right), a spring graduating senior business administration major from Melville, receives the first Rene J. Bienvenu Award as the outstanding member of the Student Government Association at Northwestern State University. The award was created in memory of Dr. Bienvenu, who was president emeritus of Northwestern at the time of his death in January of 1983. Napoli has been a senator in the SGA for the past two years. Presenting the award to Napoli is Dr. Fred C. Bosarage, dean of students at NSU.

## Natchitoches Folk Festival Is Set For July 15-17 In Prather Coliseum

The Louisiana Folklife Center at Northwestern State University will bring hundreds of traditional musicians, craftsmen, storytellers and cooks together on July 15-17 to share centuries-old folk ways with visitors at the fourth annual Natchitoches Folk Festival in NSU Prather Coliseum.

Created in 1980 to preserve, document and present the forms of folk art that have grown out of Louisiana's diverse cultures, the Natchitoches Folk Festival will offer two popular nighttime folk music shows on Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and attractive daytime programs which begin at 10 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Admission to each of the four sessions of the Natchitoches Folk Festival is \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. Children six-years-old and younger are admitted free when accompanied by an adult. Ticket booklets including admissions to all four sessions are \$10 for adults and \$6 for students.

To order tickets or obtain additional information, call (318) 357-4332 or write the Natchitoches Folk Festival, Louisiana Folklife Center, P.O. Box 3663, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. 71497.

Former Louisiana Gov. Jimmie Davis, nationally-famous for recording "You Are My Sunshine," will be singing his white gospel, white blues and traditional country music on the Friday Night Music Show.

Performing on the same program will be Tex Grimsley and the New Red River Ramblers, barn dance and family reunion music; Arkansas Slim, honky-tonk piano; the Natchitoches Bluesmen, country blues, and Hadley Caselle and the Cajun Grass Band, blending Cajun, bluegrass and western swing traditions.

The festival's Saturday Night Music Show will feature Cish Cish, traditional and modern Cajun

music; Al Ferrier and the Showtimers, rockabilly blues; Hezekiah and the Houserockers, Delta blues, and John Delafosse and the Eunice Playboys zodiac music.

A cross section of the many styles of Louisiana folk music will be presented continuously on three stages during the Saturday and Sunday daytime programs.

Among the featured performers and the musical styles they represent are Don Montoucci and the Wandering Aces and Walter Lee's Cajun Band, French music; the Loggy Bayou Misfits and the Red River Boys, bluegrass; the East Texas String Ensemble, western swing; Brownie Ford, traditional balladry; Van Williams, white blues; Silas Hogan and the Baton Rouge Blues, urban blues music, and the Natchitoches Interdenominational Choir, black gospel.

Dance presentations will be given by the Caddo Indian Dancers of Oklahoma, the Cotton Country Cloggers, the Cane Country Swingers square dance group and the Strange Family country dancers.

No other festival in Louisiana offers visitors a wider variety of traditional crafts than the Natchitoches Folk Festival, where crafts from every major ethnic group in the state are demonstrated during the daytime hours.

## Legislature Approves Caldwell Hall Funds

The Louisiana Legislature has re-appropriated \$280,000 to finance the design and planning for replacement of Caldwell Hall, a structure of architectural interest which was destroyed by fire in the fall of 1982.

Under the sponsorship of Rep. Jimmy Long, a bill was presented during the January special session of the legislature to provide monies to start planning the reconstruction which will duplicate the exterior of Caldwell Hall while completely modernizing the interior.



Kappa Alpha Fraternity at NSU contributed \$4,000 to the North-West Louisiana-Texarkana district of the national Muscular Dystrophy Association. The donation represents proceeds from the fraternity's ninth annual boxing tournament for the MDA. As lightweight champion William Carnahan raises his hands in victory, James LaCaze (right) presents the check to Norman Moore, MDA district director. Also participating in the ceremony were MDA program coordinator Kay Law and Steve Wiggins of Natchitoches Beverage, which co-sponsored the event.



# Northwestern Alumni In The News

## 1920's

**1927--ELIZABETH HATCHER JUDSON** of Van, Tex., is a retired home economics teacher in Cameron and Calcasieu parishes.

## 1930's

**1933--GLADYS SELVIDGE GREWER** of Pollock is a retired teacher.

**1936--ELIZABETH LEONARD SESSIONS** of Shreveport is employed by Leonard's Jewelers. She received a bachelor's degree in mathematics and chemistry.

**1938--MAUDE DARNEY CARNEGIE** of Raleigh, N.C., is retired. She majored in English and French.

**1938--GREENE MARIE CELINE** of Baton Rouge died in December of 1982.

**1939--OMA C. HUCKABAY TOPPEL** of Tustin, Calif., retired after 27 years service as a civilian employee of the U.S. Air Force. She was an administrative analyst for the Anaheim, Calif. Air Force Procurement Regional Office.

## 1940's

**1940--MARIETTA F. GUEDRY** of Bordeloville retired in 1973 after teaching 34 years. She received the bachelor's degree in music.

**1944--D.C. McCULLER** of Crowley is a retired U.S. Department of Agriculture rice and commodity grader.

**1944--MARGERY BUATT McCULLER** of Crowley is retired from teaching in Acadia Parish.

**1944--MAXYNNE M. COLLEY** of El Cajon, Calif., is deputy director of the regional financial services department at the Naval Supply Center in San Diego. She is anxious to hear more about the centennial celebration at Northwestern in 1984.

**1946--RALPH WHITENER** of Shreveport is manager of Smith Furniture.

**1949--JOHN I. FALKNER** of Bossier City is president of Falkner Laboratories. He worked as chemist in refineries in Waskum, Tex., and Corpus Christi, Tex., for 14 years. He purchased and formed Falkner Laboratories, Inc., in 1963. This is an independent and analytical laboratory covering the fields of petroleum, water, metal, soils, feeds, etc. He is married to Genny Woodruff, former NSU student in 1947 and 1948.

## 1950's

**1950--ANNE FREEZE PAUGH** of New York, NY, is employed by reader's services for Sports Afield Magazine. She received a business education degree.

**1951--DIANE DILLION CARLTON** of Roswell, N.M., is employed by Mountain Bell.

**1952--RUBY ESSIE MERCHANT** of Hineston is a retired elementary school teacher in Rapides Parish.

**1954--DR. THAIS R. BETER** of Haughton is coordinator of adaptive physical education in Bossier Parish.

## 1960's

**1960--WILBURN D. McDONALD JR.** of Berwick is a classroom teacher in St. Mary Parish.

**1961--IRENE BRANDON** of Shreveport is an upper elementary education teacher in Caddo Parish.

**1962--SARA KILLEN BARROWS** of Cleveland, Tex., works as an accountant for Mitchell Energy and Development.

**1962--LTC GUY LABOA** is a former commander of the Black Knights Drill Team at Northwestern. He was recently selected for promotion to colonel and is now assigned to the 8th Infantry Division in Germany as a brigade commander. He served as the 5th Infantry Division (Mechanized) assistant chief of staff and prior to departing Fort Polk in August of 1982 served as the division inspector general.

**1963--GALE COGBURN WINN** of Porter, Tex., teaches at Woodland Hills Elementary School in Kingwood, Tex.

**1962--JIM WINN** of Porter, Tex., is a realtor with Baxter and Swinford Realtors in Houston, Tex.

**1962--ROBERT EUGENE EASLEY** of Seabrook, Tex., is chief of the Shuttle Spaceraft Procurement Branch for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration at Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center in Houston, Tex. Last year he completed all course work requirements for the Doctorate in Public Administration and is currently writing his dissertation.

**1964--GEORGE M. SHAMBLIN JR.** of Spring, Tex., is a development engineer in Houston, Tex.

**1965--NONA R. DAVIDSON** of Jena has retired from teaching. She taught for the LaSalle Parish School Board.

**1966--DR. SIDNEY L. POE** of Blacksburg, Va., is the 1982 recipient of the Entomological Society of America Recognition Award for Contributions to Agriculture. He is professor and head of the entomology department at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. Dr. Poe is a leader in the field of crop protection entomology, with notable achievements in ornamentals, vegetable crops and field crops. He was instrumental in structuring and initiating research in pest management on several commodities in Florida, programs that have won recognition in entomology as well as interdisciplinary acclaim. He received his B.S. in biological sciences education in 1964 and his M.S. in zoology in 1966 from Northwestern. His Ph.D. in entomology in 1970 was from the University of Missouri.

**1966--SAMUEL A. MASSON** of Bossier City is a programmer-analyst for Tri State Oil Tool, Inc.

**1966--WILLIAM BRYAN FINCHER** of Gretna is controller for Ingram Corporation. He has a B.S. in accounting.

**1966--ARDIS DWIGHT LEWIS** of Mansfield is employed by the DeSoto Office of Family Security.

**1967--TRAVIS W. HIGH** of St. Marys, Ga., is an instrument specialist for Union Carbide.

**1969--JAMES AND LYNN WICKER** are living in Sulphur. James earned his B.S. in 1970 in business administration. Lynn Nollkamper Wicker is a 1969 graduate in home economics and secretarial administration.

**1969--DR. DON FONTENELLE**, clinical psychologist for the St. Bernard Development Center in Chalmette, is the author of a book entitled "Understanding And Managing Overactive Children." He received his master's degree in psychology from NSU.

**1969--DOROTHY PRESTRIDGE TURNER** of Shreveport is an intensive care nurse at Highland Hospital.

## 1970's

**1970--CHRIS HOTARD** of Spring, Tex., is district manager for Shulton Inc.

**1970--RONALD LEON SPILLER** of Alea, Hawaii, is a captain in the U.S. Army.

**1970--SHARON ANN KENNARD** of Shreveport has taught 12 years in Shreveport and Houston. She is now a housewife. Her new occupation involves diapers, dogs and dishes.

**1970--JUDITH DIANE WEBB HUCKABAY** of Coushatta is chief deputy clerk of court in Red River Parish.

**1970--GARY LOVE** of Baton Rouge is operations analyst for the Louisiana Department of Labor. He was recently elected president of Concerned Parents for Children's Rights, a newly formed organization which sponsored the recently-passed joint custody legislation.

**1971--LAURENT KATHLEEN ANNE** of Baton Rouge is a nurse for the Clinic of Ear, Nose and Throat Diseases. She would like to encourage all NSU alumni and students to support the International Summer Special Olympics being held in Baton Rouge July 12-18.

**1972--MARTIN JACKSON TRUNZLER** of Shreveport is a day supervisor in respiratory therapy at Schumpert Hospital.

**1972--GEORGIA A. WREN** of Lewisville, Tex., teaches mathematics at the Milikin Middle School.

**1972--DAVID D. JOHNSON** of Slidell is financial aide officer and special needs instructor at Slidell Vocational Technical School.

**1972--JOHN F. LOUVIERE** of Alexandria has been assigned to the Alexandria area as a

professional sales representative for Smith Kline and French Laboratories, the pharmaceutical division of Smith Kline Beckman Corporation. Before joining SK&F, Louviere was an administrative head at the St. Frances Cabrini Hospital in Alexandria. He received a B.S. degree in medical technology at Northwestern.

**1972--SAM C. PERNICI** of Baton Rouge is a supervisor in the State Department of Education.

**1972--MICHAEL L. ADAMS** of Houston is president of Brazos Energy Trading Company, Inc. Any old friends that don't know where he is can call (713) 977-3492.

**1973--C. JAMES LARMOYEUX** of Little Rock, Ark. is employed by L.H. Crump Insurance Agency.

**1973--JACQUELINE M. EDSTER** of Shreveport is a dictating machine operator for the Office of Human Development.

**1973--CAROLYN LOWE** of Minden currently teaches for Glenbrook School.

**1973--BRYAN TALLEY** of Houston, Tex., is an instructor at San Jacinto College.

**1973--GEORGE E. OHLISSON** of Metairie is an engineer for Missouri Pacific Railroad.

## 1980's

**1980--KATHRYN KAYLA FOSTER BEASLEY** of Natchitoches is student service coordinator for the surface mining training program at Northwestern.

**1980--ARTHUR CLAYTON GORDIN** of Midwest City, Okla., is a horticulturist and landscape architect for the U.S. Department of Defense at Tinker Air Force Base.

**1980--JANICE E. BYRNE** of Baltimore, Md., is a clinical staff and relief charge nurse at the University of Maryland Hospital.

**1980--DEBORAH M. MARTIN** of St. Joseph is an assistant home economist for the LSU Cooperative Extension Service.

**1980--MARLENE MOSLEY** of Sulphur is a registered nurse at West Calcasieu-Cameron Hospital.

**1980--GINGER E. GATES** of Natchitoches is a school psychologist for the Natchitoches Parish School Board. She recently received the master's degree at the University of Southern Mississippi.

**1981--PAM FREDRICK STEPHENS** of Pineville is a second-grade teacher for the Grant Parish School Board.

**1981--CHERYL A. GIANFORTE** of Natchitoches is an art teacher at Natchitoches Central High School. She received her master's degree in 1981. Cheryl was the 1975-76 Lady of the Bracelet.



Ed Horton (second from left) and Cecil Knotts (second from right) finished third in the NSU Spring Bass Tournament. Presenting them cash prizes are, from left, Gene Kneet, Shreveport Budweiser representative Rex Smith and Ray Carney. Jerry Hernandez and Gary Hartley won the event. Second were David Antee and Danny Dubois.



Bill Stewart (seated right), Natchitoches branch manager for Shreveport Budweiser, presents a \$2,000 check to Northwestern president Dr. Joseph J. Orze for support of the intercollegiate rodeo program at NSU. Standing left is Ray Carney, and at right is Gary C. Jones, Northwestern intercollegiate rodeo team advisor. Last fall Shreveport Budweiser contributed \$1,500 to the program at Northwestern, which is one of the top teams in Southern Region of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association.





The play of several freshman during the season was a high point for the 1983 Northwestern State baseball team. David Reynolds (left) is one of those freshman who played well all season while David Bailey (right) was another rookie who had a good season for the Demons.

## NSU Spring Sports Teams End Year With Successful Spring

It was a successful Spring for the men's and women's athletic teams at Northwestern State as the 1982-83 athletic year drew to a close with only the track team still in action.

The Northwestern baseball team ended the season with a fourth place finish in the Trans America Conference and for the season posted a 26-30 overall record. The men's tennis team was third in the Trans America championships and the golf team placed sixth.

The women's tennis team ended the season with a record of 11-11 in dual matches while the Lady Demon softball team posted an overall mark of 19-10. The Demon track team again has qualified athletes for the NCAA championships that will be held in Houston in early June.

Coach Herbie Smith and his young baseball team ended the season playing very well, losing to Georgia Southern 6-5 to claim the fourth spot in the tournament. The 26 wins was the second highest total ever for Smith in his years as the Demon baseball coach and six of the 30 losses came to teams that at some point during the season were ranked in the top 20 in the nation.

Freshman shortstop David Reynolds and junior center fielder Gill Herndon were named to the TAAC all-tournament team. Reynolds hit three home runs in four games during the tournament while Herndon had six hits in the final two games and at one point reached base eight straight times.

In tennis the Demons placed just nine points behind champion Arkansas-Little Rock as senior Donny Lovo won the No. 3 singles championship. Sophomore Francisco Acuna teamed with freshman Jorge Salvo as the Demons also won the championship at No. 3 doubles. For the season the Demons posted a 10-5 record in dual matches.

The Demon golf team, under first year Coach David Stanton, placed sixth in the Trans America Tournament held in Shreveport and improved with each match during the season. Joey Brown led the Demons in the tournament at Shreveport and for the year led the team with the lowest stroke average per round.

The women's softball team enjoyed its third straight winning season under Coach James Smith in posting the 19-10 overall record. The Northwestern squad was led at the plate by left fielder Julie Robinson with a batting average of .372. Sophomore pitcher Sydney Forrester also enjoyed an outstanding season as she posted a 17-9 record on the mound.

The Lady Demon tennis team continued its string of never having a losing season under Coach Johnnie Emmons with the 11-11 overall record. Playing with a lineup that included four freshmen and two sophomores, the Lady Demons improved during the season as they gained experience.

## Northwestern State Sets 11 Game 1983 Football Schedule with Five Home Dates

Home games with four traditional rivals and away contests at Southwest Texas State and the University of Tulsa highlight the Northwestern State University football schedule for 1983.

The Demons will play an 11-game slate with five home games, five road games and the traditional State Fair Classic with Louisiana Tech in Shreveport on October 22.

Northwestern will open the season at home on September 3 against in-state rival McNeese State and the following week Angelo State will visit Natchitoches. The third week of the season will find the Demons at Tulsa, one of the top teams in the nation that posted a 10-1 mark last season.

After that comes a road game at Abilene Christian and then the Demons will celebrate Homecoming on October 1 against Stephen F. Austin. Southwest Texas State,

which has won the Division II national title for the past two years, is next on the schedule as the Demons go back on the road.

After that comes an afternoon road game in Jackson, Ms. as the Demons will face Alcorn State before the annual clash with Tech in Shreveport. The final road game of the season comes November 5 when the Demons play at Nicholls State.

The final two weeks of the season will find the Demons at home in Turpin Stadium as they host Southeastern Louisiana on November 12 and Northeast Louisiana on November 19.

The contest against Alcorn State at Jackson is the only Demon game of the season that will be an afternoon affair. The Homecoming contest with Stephen F. Austin will have an earlier kickoff than usual however, as that game is slated for 6:00 p.m. All other Demon home games will have the usual 7:00 p.m. starting time.

### NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY 1983 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

| DATE     | OPPONENT               | SITE                 | TIME      |
|----------|------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
| Sept. 3  | McNeese State          | Natchitoches, LA     | 7:00 p.m. |
| Sept. 10 | Angelo State           | Natchitoches, LA     | 7:00 p.m. |
| Sept. 17 | University of Tulsa    | Tulsa, Oklahoma      | 7:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 24 | Abilene Christian      | Abilene, Texas       | 7:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 1   | Stephen F. Austin (HC) | Natchitoches, LA     | 6:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 8   | Southwest Texas State  | San Marcos, Texas    | 7:30 p.m. |
| Oct. 15  | Alcorn State           | Jackson, Mississippi | 1:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 22  | La. Tech               | Shreveport, LA       | 7:00 p.m. |
| Nov. 5   | Nicholls State         | Thibodaux, LA        | 7:00 p.m. |
| Nov. 12  | Southeastern LA        | Natchitoches, LA     | 7:00 p.m. |
| Nov. 19  | Northeast LA           | Natchitoches, LA     | 7:00 p.m. |

## Demons, Lady Demons Honor Top Players for 1982-83 Basketball

Senior forward Calvin Madlock and senior guard Kenny Hale both claimed two honors as awards were announced for the 1982-83 basketball season at Northwestern State.

Madlock, a 6-5 forward from Sardis, MS, won the field goal percentage and rebounding awards, while Hale, a 6-0 guard from Memphis, won the free throw percentage and assist awards. Senior center Johnny Martin won the blocked shots award, senior Harry Francis claimed the award for steals and freshman Roy Roach earned the Mr. Hustle award.

Madlock grabbed 188 rebounds during the season for an average of 6.7 per game and along with that shot 58.2 percent from the field while averaging 15 points a game.

His shooting percentage also set a Northwestern single-season record.

Hale led the Demons in scoring this past season with a 16.8 average, including a season-high of 32 points in a lopsided win over conference champion Georgia Southern. From the free throw line Hale connected on 82.3 percent of his free throws during the year.

Martin missed part of the season because of a hernia operation, but still came back to average 13.9 points and 6.9 rebounds per game in the 24 games he played in. Martin ended the year with 29 blocked shots, more than one per contest.

Northwestern ended the 1982-83 season with a 9-19 record.

Senior forward Stephanie Washington claimed the Offensive Award and was named as one of the team captains as the 1982-83 Northwestern State Lady Demon basketball team handed out awards.

Washington, a native of Montgomery, led the team in scoring with an average of 19 points per game, and was second in rebounding with an average of 6.7 per contest. Washington also led the team in scoring as a junior. Earlier Washington was named to the LSWA second all-state team.

Along with Washington, Lisa Carter, Kim Paulk and Tracy Taylor were named as team captains. Taylor claimed the Rebounding Award for the second straight year, freshman Teresa Thomas won the Free Throw Award, Paulk won the Defensive Award and freshman Lonnie Banks received the Coaches Award.

Washington was also honored with the second annual Ruthanna Dorsey Fickel Award, a \$100 award that goes each year to the outstanding senior. The award is sponsored each year by Dr. Melanie Younger, a member of Northwestern State University faculty.

During the 1982-83 season the Lady Demons posted a 16-9 overall mark and during the year defeated two teams that took part in the NCAA championship post-season tournament.



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